

(b) Yes. Other Insurance companies are charging premium at rates ranging from 1.21 per cent to 2.5 per cent.

(c) Yes. In respect of the boats/engines in which the Government have interest; Government require that the insurance is placed with the L.I.C.;

(d) Yes. The increase has affected the fishermen who have insured the Mechanical Boats/Engines with the L.I.C.

(e) The Matter is under consideration.

FINANCE CORPORATIONS IN THE STATE

304. SRI N. A. CHANNA GOWDA (Pandavapura):—

Will the Minister for Finance, Planning and Youth Welfare be pleased to state:—

(a) the number of Finance Corporation (Private Ltd.) registered in the State;

(b) the number of them inaugurated by the Ministers of State Government;

(c) the terms and conditions under which these Corporations are registered and their scope of business;

(d) whether it has come to the notice of Government that many of these Corporations have been wound up, if so, the number of such corporations;

(e) whether it has come to the notice of Government that some of these Corporations are swindling the public money in general and that of the mofussil public in particular;

(f) the action the Government propose to take to effectively control the activities of these finance Corporations?

SRI RAMAKRISHNA HEGDE (Minister for Finance, Planning and Youth Welfare):—

(a) 88.

(b) Information not available.

(c) They are registered under Money Lenders Act. Purpose: Taking deposits and Lending Money.

(d) No.

(e) No.

(f) They are persuaded to get themselves registered. After they are registered under the Money Lenders Act, they come under the

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control of the Registrar General of Money Lenders who has been instructed to have control over these institutions by inspection of accounts etc.

The Reserve Bank of India, Bombay have been requested to consider bringing these institutions under the Banking Regulations or any suitable legislation.

COMMITTEE TO ADMINISTER MAILARA MALLAMMA TEMPLE

307 SRI V. N. PATIL (Humnabad):—

Will the Minister for Revenue be pleased to state :—

(a) whether the Government has appointed any Committee to administer the Mailara Mallamma temple at Mailar (Khanapura village), Taluka Bhalki of Bidar district:

(b) if so, the names of the members of the Committee ;

(c) whether the members of the Committee are given charge of and entrusted with the assets and liabilities of the temple for management ;

(d) the assets of the landed property of the temple ;

(e) whether the Government through G.O. No. RD 31 MEM 67, dated 26/30th March 1968 has passed an order for the appointment of a Committee and its personnel, if so, whether this order has been implemented ; if not the reasons for non-implementation of the said order (a copy of the Government order may kindly be furnished) ;

(f) when the Government would implement the order and entrust the management of the temple to the Temple Committee for the welfare of the temple and for its better management ?

SRI H. V. KOUJALGI (Minister for Revenue).—

(a) Yes.

- (d) (1) Sri Bhimanna Khandre, Advocate, Bhalki, M.L.A.
 (2) Sri Sidramappa Khoba, M.L.A., Basavakalyana Taluk.
 (3) Sri V. N. Patil, Advocate, M.L.A., Humnabad taluk.
 (4) Sri Chandrakanth Sindol, M.L.A., Bidar taluk
 (5) Sri Sesh Rao Kantikar, Advocate, Bidar.
 (6) Sri Nana Rao Kumthekar, Advocate, Bidar.
 (7) Sri Veerashetty Kushnoor, Advocate, Bidar.
 (8) Sri Sidramappa Dhannara, Advocate, Bidar.